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Public input sought on draft EA for proposed materials recovery facility

LĪHU'E – The Department of Public Works has scheduled an informational meeting on Wednesday, March 16 regarding the draft environmental assessment (EA) for a proposed materials recovery facility (MRF).

The draft EA is available on the county's website at www.kauai.gov/MRF, and will also be posted on the state Department of Health, Office of Environmental Control's website on March 8 at <http://health.hawaii.gov/oeqc>.

The County of Kauai is seeking to construct and operate a MRF near the Līhu'e Airport where the Kauai Resource Center is currently located. The facility would accept, sort, process, and recycle clean, source-separated recyclable materials.

The meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 16 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Līhu'e Civic Center, Mo'ikeha Building, Liquor Control conference room.

County officials and their technical consultant, CalRecovery, will do a presentation on the MRF, followed by Q & A.

While answers will be provided during the meeting, all questions and comments must be submitted in writing for the record sent via email to Allison Fraley at afraley@kauai.gov with a carbon copy (cc) sent to George Savage with CalRecovery at gsavage@calrecovery.com.

Comments and questions will also be accepted via fax sent to Fraley at 241-6887 with a cc sent to Savage at 925-356-3700.

The deadline for submittals is 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 7.

If you need an ASL interpreter, materials in an alternate format, or other auxiliary aid support, please contact Fraley via email or by phone at 241-4837 at least seven days before the meeting.